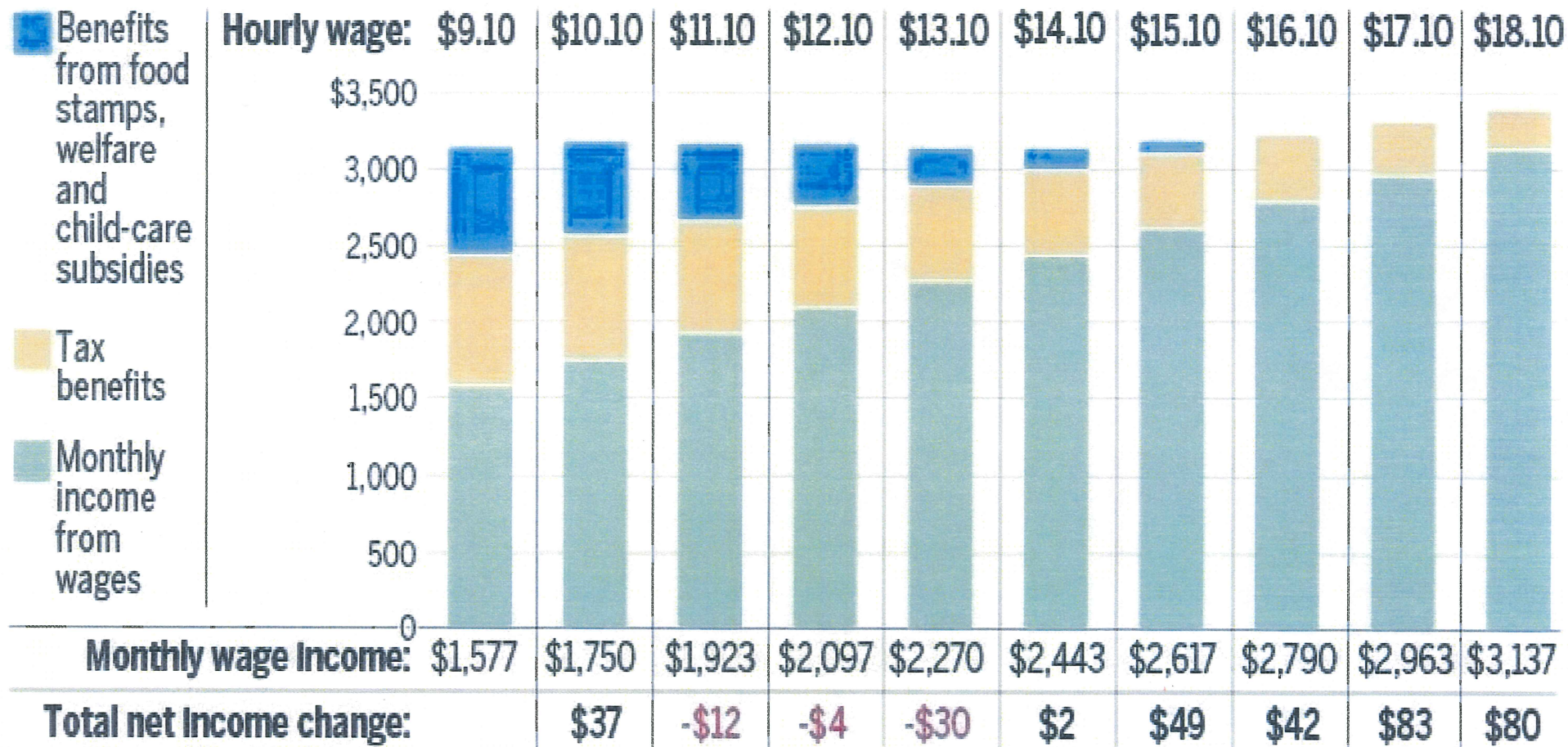


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Raising the minimum wage: How much would it help?

Oregon's nonpartisan Legislative Revenue Office analyzed the effect on a single parent with two children of raising the minimum wage to different levels. Because eligibility for tax refunds and benefits falls as income rises, simply raising the minimum wage could result in a modest gain or even a loss.



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